

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Anwar, et al.

Appln. No.:

Filed: Concurrently Herewith

For: Configuration of Converter
Switches and Machine Coils of A
Switched Reluctance Machine

Attorney Docket No: 10541-1973

Examiner:

Art Unit:

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and more particularly in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), Applicant cites the following references (each listed for the Examiner's convenience on the enclosed Form PTO-1449):

No.	Date of Publication	Patentee/Applicant/Assignee
3,967,173	06/29/1976	Stich
4,290,001	09/15/1981	Espelage
4,337,429	06/29/1982	Stuart
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5,294,875	03/15/1994	Reddy
5,450,306	09/12/1995	Garces et al.
5,640,073	06/17/1997	Ikeda et al.
5,659,452	08/19/1997	Blackburn
5,894,210	04/13/1999	Brown et al.
6,037,740	03/14/2000	Pollock et al.
6,232,731	05/15/2001	Chapman

A copy of each listed reference for which a copy is required under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2) is also enclosed. As each of the listed references is in English, no further commentary is believed to be necessary, 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(3). Applicant respectfully solicits the Examiner's consideration of the listed references and entry thereof into the record of this application.

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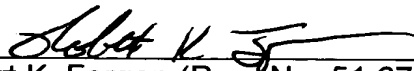
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Applicant has calculated no fee to be due in connection with the filing of this Statement. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee deficiency associated with the filing of this Statement to a deposit account, as authorized in the Transmittal accompanying this Statement.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date



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